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SEEKING WORK.

Allen Zerling Died Among Strangers in Akron.

The remains of Allen M. Zerling, who died Monday afternoon at the City hospital of typhoid fever, were sent to his home in Elizabeth, Pa., Tuesday afternoon. The remains were accompanied by the young man's brother, who has been at his bedside during his illness.

Mr. Zerling came to Akron two weeks ago to find employment. He had been in the city but a few days when he was taken ill. His parents are well to do people.

If you want boarders, male or female help, roomers, etc., advertise in the Democrat's want column.

SAWYER

Declined to Leave

At the Bidding of McMillen.

Had the Backbone to Make Resistance

To Being Evicted From Star Chamber Session.

Commissioner McMillen Had to Give It Up.

There was an exciting time at the office of the City Commissioners yesterday afternoon.

The Commissioners were in session as a City Board of elections, and there were a number of citizens in the office.

City Commissioner McMillen announced that he wanted all the citizens to leave the room as he had something he wanted to say to the Board in private.

All present but Col. Sawyer retired. Mr. McMillen repeated his statement that he had something to tell the Board, and he hoped that everybody would get out. Thereupon he stared at Col. Sawyer in a manner indicating that he thought it would be necessary to have a brick house fall upon him before he would take the hint.

After he had waited a few moments, Mr. McMillen advanced to the Colonel, took him by the arm, and tried to remove him from the room by force.

Mr. Sawyer resisted and asked: "Does what you have to say pertain to your work as City commissioner?"

"It does,"

"Well," was the reply. "I am a resident of Akron; I pay taxes to support Akron's government and the City Commissioner system, and I don't believe any City Commissioner should have anything to say pertaining to public business that a taxpayer has not a right to hear. I think I'll stay."

This rejoinder was a surprise to Mr. McMillen, and again he attempted to evict Mr. Sawyer by force.

At this juncture, Commissioner McGarry interfered by telling Mr. Sawyer to remain and he indicated that if the Colonel needed any help it would be forthcoming.

Rather crestfallen, Commissioner McMillen decided that he would make no further attempts to evict taxpayers from public property that day.

"The Republican County Commissioners tell the people to keep off the grass and the Republican City Commissioners tell them to keep out of the City Hall," said Mr. Sawyer today. "The lot of the Akron taxpayer is a hard one."

MASONIC CLUB

Elected Officers at Its Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Akron Masonic club was held Monday evening. The reports of the various committees were received and showed the club to be in splendid standing financially.

The following officers were elected: President, Mr. W. E. Langdon; vice president, Mr. O. A. Nelson; secretary, Mr. A. H. Sargent; treasurer, Mr. R. S. Thomas; directors, Messrs. Robert Aiken, W. C. Hall and C. S. Eddy.

Boy Missing.

The parents of Dewitt Roeder reported to Officer McConnell Tuesday morning that their son, aged 12 years, has been missing since Monday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Roeder reside at 102 South Forge st.

North Hill Circle.

The mothers and teachers of North Hill school will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Many important matters will come before the Circle and a large attendance is desired.

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BALLOTS.

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deal of scratching and that because of this the result of the outcome is doubtful. It will be late before the count is completed.

There has been a movement in favor of Candidates Graham, Palmer and Fillius and it was freely predicted that these men would be elected by comfortable pluralities. Republicans and Democrats are working hard. The candidates have jumped into the fight with hats and coats off and it will not be neglect on their part that will defeat them. There has been no change in the betting. Few men made wagers and practically all bets were small.

It was reported that one Akron man who had sent \$10,000 to New York, to place on McKinley at odds of 4 to 1 had wired instructions to his broker to hedge. He was fearful of the result and wanted to place enough on Bryan to insure his breaking even which ever way the election might result.

Up to noon there had been no sign of disorder in any part of the city. Few people had congregated around the booths and all that were there seemed to be good natured. The weather conditions were perfect.

MORE THAN HALF IN.

At noon today a Democrat reporter visited a number of the voting booths. At every place he found that more than half the registered voters had cast their ballots before 12 o'clock. In a number of instances half the vote had been cast by 9 o'clock. It is believed that practically the entire vote of the city will be in when the booths close.

REGISTRATION.

The total registration for the city is 11,516 distributed by wards and precincts as follows:

FIRST WARD.

Precinct A	324
Precinct B	358
Precinct C	584
Precinct D	290
Precinct E	275
Total	1830

SECOND WARD.

Precinct A	424
Precinct B	368
Precinct C	287
Precinct D	210
Total	1290

THIRD WARD.

Precinct A	332
Precinct B	433
Precinct C	338
Precinct D	60
Precinct E	218
Total	1390

FOURTH WARD.

Precinct A	361
Precinct B	287
Precinct C	345
Total	993

FIFTH WARD.

Precinct A	390
Precinct B	456
Precinct C	328
Total	1174

SIXTH WARD.

Precinct A	208
Precinct B	220
Precinct C	307
Precinct D	351
Precinct E	320
Total	1406

SEVENTH WARD.

Precinct A	607
Precinct B	478
Precinct C	472

Precinct D 288

Total 1840

EIGHTH WARD.

Precinct A	449
Precinct B	361
Precinct C	355
Precinct D	206
Precinct E	132
Total	1503

Grand total 11,516

THE VOTE IN 1896.

In 1896 the total vote of the county was 16,752. Of these McKinley received 8,584, and Bryan 7,985, a plurality for McKinley of 599. In Akron McKinley received 4,362 and Bryan 4,027, a Republican plurality of 335.

VOTERS

Granted Permission to Register and Vote

Who Were Unable to be in Akron on Registration Days.

The Board of City Elections has allowed the following persons to register and vote, who have been out of the city and not able to get here on the registration days:

FIRST WARD.

Precinct A—F. A. Selberling, Sam G. Whitelaw, J. F. Selberling, Wm. A. Byrdier.

Precinct B—F. A. Hostetter, G. W. Oden.

Precinct C—L. H. Williams, Roscoe Long, W. W. Morrison, W. W. Alexander, Chas. S. Schaaf, H. W. Cleveland.

Precinct D—E. H. McCall, M. Otis Hower.

SECOND WARD.

Precinct A—J. B. Sommer.

Precinct B—Robert Simms.

Precinct C—John A. Yeomans.

Precinct D—G. C. Koplin.

THIRD WARD.

Precinct B—Fred Fleishman.

Precinct E—George Brown, Wm. J. Davies, W. E. Hale.

FOURTH WARD.

Precinct A—J. Ed. Peterson.

Precinct C—Frank Hulet, Michael Riley.

FIFTH WARD.

Precinct A—Achille Phillion, Wm. Vanderhoof, James Cutter, John A. Moore.

Precinct B—Frank A. Doran, Benton Marks.

Precinct C—Amos S. Gannon.

SIXTH WARD.

Precinct E—Julius Baker.

Precinct A—Wm. McGuire.

Precinct C—Jos. A. Holloway, John Ducey, E. Thelss, Jos. Kolb.

EIGHTH WARD.

Precinct A—H. K. Roepke.

Precinct B—O. E. Loomis, Matthew Loomis, A. W. Futz.

Precinct C—R. A. Greney, D. Matthew Really.

POLICE COURT.

Only Three Cases Were on the Docket Tuesday Morning.

Three cases were on the docket in Police Court Tuesday morning as follows:

August Maahs, charged with disorderly conduct, pleaded not guilty. Case continued until Nov. 8.

James Dean and Andrew Lehman pleaded guilty to intoxication charges. Each were fined \$2 and costs.

Many of your friends, or people whom you know of, have contracted consumption, pneumonia or other fatal diseases, by neglect of a simple cold or cough. Foley's Honey and Tar, a safe, sure and pleasant cough medicine, would have saved them. It is guaranteed.

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BIRTHS.

MAHONY—To Mr. and Mrs. James J. Mahony, 504 W. Cedar st., Monday, Nov. 5, a son.

LAVEY—To Mr. and Mrs. James Lavey, 108 Iron st., Monday, Nov. 5, a daughter.

BULGRIN—To Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bulgrin, 824 East Voris st., Monday, Nov. 5, a son.

RUGGLES—To Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Ruggles, 505 Broadway, Saturday, Nov. 3, a daughter.

The Democrat's Liners are growing because they bring results. Try them.

Personal and Social

Mr. H. E. Raymond went to New York city Tuesday.

Mr. H. C. Corson returned Tuesday from an Eastern trip.

Mr. Thomas Reed, for many years Erie yard fireman has been transferred to Dayton.

Mrs. F. G. Russell, of 119 Upton st., has concluded a visit with relatives in Cleveland.

Mrs. Jessie Epley, of the Empire House, returned Saturday from Portland, Seattle and other points along the Pacific coast.

Mrs. Karl O. H. Kolbe left for Passaic, N. J., Monday, where she will join her husband who has accepted a position in that city.

Mr. Harold Langdon, a student at Western Reserve University, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Langdon of 138 N. Forge st.

HANS IN HOT WATER.

MORE TROUBLE FOR THE POOR GERMAN COBBLER.

The Reporter Gives Him a Little Pointer Which, Like All Other Advice, Only Does Him Far More Harm Than Good.

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One time I don't haf 2 cents' worth of work in der shop and belief I vvas a bankrupt man, when a young man comes in and like me to fix oop his heel. He vvas a reporter by some newspaper, he says, and then he sees I haf no work he says to me:

"Cobblor, you vvas a man who don't catch on. It vvas ash easy ash grease if you know how. In one week I bring 200 peoples to dis shop."

"How can you did it?" I says.

"Vhell, you listen to me. I shall say in my paper tomorrow dot your uncle in Sherman, who vvas a baron, has died and left you \$250,000. Easfbody who reads it vill want to look at you. Easfbody who comes vill bring shoes to cobble. You shall haf so much work dot you can't go to bed night. I do dot vvas one time for a secondhand clother, and he vvas a rich man in one year. Haf but we shall fool der public and make some Vanderbilts of you."

I dunno if it vvas all right, but dot reporter talks and talks and goes



avhay, and next day he puts me in der paper. He says: "From der poorhouse to der palace. A Sherman cobblor, who vvas almost starving, comes into a big fortune. His joy vvas so great dot he almost hangs himself. He vill at once buy a steam yacht and a \$10,000 diamond pin. Call at his shop and see him." It vvas soch a nice article dot I laugh all oaf and my wife sheds tears. In two hours a young man mit his hat on his ear comes in and says:

"Vhell, cobblor, hooray for you. By Shoorge, but dot vvas some good luck! You can pay me dot five dollars now."

"Vhat five dollars?"

"Vhy, dot five dollars I lend you last Christmas to buy some toy mules for your baby."

"I neffer borrow five dollars of you." "Oh, ho! So you vvas a bilk, eh? When you get some money, you go back on your friends? Now let me tell you dot you must come down mit dot five or I shall knock you into some cocked hats! Shell out!"

I don't shell out, and I belief he breaks me in two if a policeman don't come along and scare him avhay. In ten minutes an old man comes in. He has ten shillens and vvas my best customer. In one week he brings me \$3 worth of work.

"Vhell, cobblor," he says, "I haf read of you in der papers and vvas glad. I suppose you vill now live in some brownstone fronts and haf a swelled carriage?"

"Yes, I like to do dot," I says.

"Und I like to speak to you about our schurch. We vvas going to make repairs, and now dot you vvas a rich man, you vill gif \$500."

"But I can't do dot," I says.

"No? You mean dot you don't like to gif up some money to der Lord after your good luck. You can buy steam yachts and diamonds and race horses, but you can't help der schurch. Vhell, sir, you vvas a villain at heart, and I vvas sorry I ever bring you work! Good day, sir, and may dot steam yachts explode mit you!"

My wife cries when dot man goes avhay, and I feels weak in der knees, but another feller comes in. He vvas full of peesness. He haf a book and pencil, and he says:

"Hello, cobblor! So you haf struck luck at last? All right—all right. I like you to put down \$10 for der hot air fund for poor children."

"But how can I do dot?" I says.

"Do you mean to tell me dot you can't spare \$10 out of \$250,000? By Shoorge, but you vvas a sliak of a man if you don't do it! Dis vvas no shokes. Winter vvas only three months avhay, and we like to get dot hot air

ready. Hand over and quit fooling."

I couldn't do it, of course, and he calls me ten bad names and kicks out der water pail. I trembles all avhay when he vvas gone, and my wife says we shall be in two poorhouses before Sunday. I almost haf some tears in my eyes when a woman comes in. She vvas old and lame and poor. She takes me by der hand and says:

"Cobblor, I rejoice mit you. You vvas a good man, and I vvas glad of your luck. May der Lord open your heart to help me get a new wooden leg. You can easily spare me \$25?"

"But I can't do it," I says.

"Then make it \$15."

"I can't make her fifteen cents."

"Do you mean to say you won't help me get some new teeth?"

"I can't do it."

"Vhat! Vhat! Der Lord brings you \$250,000 in a lump, and yet you won't gif a dollar to help Aunt Sally buy a new wooden leg and some teeth! You don't mean dot you vvas soch a villain as dot?"

"My dear woman, I can't spare no money—not a cent."

"Den you vvas some unbang villain. Und I vill see dot no respectable peoples speak mit you! Villain! Miser! Base liar! May heaven deal mit you!"

Dot vvas awful, but before I can shed some tears a policeman comes in. He smiles and laughs and winks and says:

"Vhell, Dutchy, you haf struck it rich, and I congratulate you. By Shoorge, but \$250,000 in cold plunks vvas all right! I vvas a little short dis month and like to borrow \$100 from you."

"But I can't lend him," I says.

"Make it \$50, then."

"I can't do it."

"Vhell, I try to get along mit \$25, but my family vill suffer."

"I can't lend nobody 5 cents."

"Vhat! Vhat! You vvas rolling in gold, and yet you go back on der policemen on your beat? My dear sir, do you know what you vvas doing? Don't you buzzsaw mit some monkeys! Gif up!"

"I can't."

Den dot policeman takes me by der neck and jams me around until he wrecks my shop and almost kills me, and when he gets tired and goes avhay he says:

"I shall be back in two hours, and if you don't haf dot money ready you vvas gone up some spouts!"

I vvas bruised all oaf, and my wife faints avhay, and so I lock up der shop, and we sits in der back yard for three days and lifts on onions.

M. QUAD.

NOT TO BE IGNORED.